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For: METHOD OF MAKING FUSED SILICA BY )  
DECOMPOSING SILOXANES )

REQUEST FOR SECOND MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request an additional extension of time of one month from the November 8, 1999, due date for the Appeal Brief. A one-month extension of time fee (\$110.00) was submitted with the Supplemental Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 filed on November 23, 1999. The fee for a two-month extension of time is \$380.00. Accordingly, a check to cover the \$270.00 extension of time fee for the second month is enclosed (i.e. two-month extension of time fee minus the amount paid for the one-month extension of time).

Please charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1138. A duplicate copy of this form is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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